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Examiner: **Richard Schnizer**

For: **A Compound Containing a Labile Disulfide Bond**

ELECTION TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Commissioner of Patents  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2000:

Applicants elect Group III containing claims 7-14 and 18 with traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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